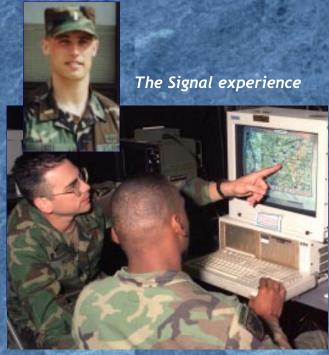
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"Here in 124th Signal Battalion and 4th Infantry Division, we're on the cutting edge of information technologies as we ramp up for Force XXI. Everyday is a new and exciting challenge as we continue to experiment with and refine a host of state-of-theart digital communications and automation systems. I'm truly proud to be part of the U.S. Army's first digitized division, knowing that I'm playing a special role in giving the warfighter unparalleled command-and-control capabilities on the future battlefield. Being part of the Force XXI effort has truly been an exhilarating, demanding and professionally rewarding experience."



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